



Patent  
Attorney Docket No.: 007413-049

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application:	)	
	)	
Wolfgang MODEREGGER, et al.	)	
	)	
Serial No.: 09/944,379	)	Work Group: 3627
	)	
Filed: September 4, 2001	)	Examiner: S. McCallister
	)	Confirmation No.: 1270
Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR	)	
MANAGING INVITATIONS TO BID	)	

**AMENDMENT**

**Attn: Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 3, 2004, having a period for response set to expire February 3, 2005. A Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time is being submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to April 3, 2005. April 3, 2005 falls on a Sunday, so the present Amendment is timely filed on Monday, April 4, 2005. The following amendment and remarks are respectfully submitted, and reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.